

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

JOHN TAURO,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	Civil Action No. 05-1180
v.)	
)	Judge Flowers Conti
YET UNNAMED DOMESTIC)	Magistrate Judge Caiazza
RELATIONS WORKER KNOWN AS)	
WORKER ID \$IATT and)	
ACE CASH EXPRESS, INC.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

MEMORANDUM ORDER

The Defendant Ace Cash Express, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss (**Doc. 3**) is hereby **DENIED**.

The Plaintiff purports to state claim(s) under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. *See* Compl. (Doc. 1) at ¶ 4.

The amount in controversy requirement, relied upon in the Defendant's Motion, has no application to claims involving a federal question. *See Olsen v. Atlantic Richfield Co.*, 1996 WL 739039, *3 (N.D. Tex. Dec. 19, 1996) ("[t]here is no amount in controversy requirement for federal question jurisdiction") (citing 28 U.S.C. § 1331).

IT IS SO ORDERED on this 9th day of November, 2005.

/s/ Joy Flowers Conti

Joy Flowers Conti
United States District Judge

cc:

Francis X. Caiazza
U.S. Magistrate Judge

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